

marry again, as King Alexander is ill and must go abroad. There are rumors that Milan will be decreed Regent of Servia.

The American Ambassador.
BERLIN, Oct. 28.—The Frankfort Zeitung says that the trouble that arose a few days ago over the refusal of the Grand Duke and Grand Duchess of Baden at Darmstadt, after the Emperor and Empress had visited them, has been satisfactorily arranged by an interchange of letters of explanation. The paper implies that Emperor Nicholas of Russia offered an apology for the curt brevity of his telegram.

Daily's Departure.
DUBLIN, Oct. 28.—According to a dispatch from Limerick, there was great excitement throughout the city this evening in anticipation of John J. Devine's departure for the United States. The police paraded the entire town in special force, as it was feared there would be a disturbance, and a strong body guarded the residence of the Mayor.

Carnegie's Works for Sale.
PARIS, Oct. 28.—Andrew Carnegie, who is here, says that he has offered the Carnegie works to the United States government, but that it is not accepted the firm will sell them abroad. He says that he only took up the armor business from a sense of duty to his country, and that the works have never paid.

Bulow's Appointment.
BERLIN, Oct. 28.—The Reichsanzeiger today publishes formal notice of the appointment of Baron von Bulow, recently German Ambassador at Rome, as Minister of Foreign Affairs, with the rank of Minister of State and member of the Prussian ministry.

Noors Win a Victory.
TANGIER, Oct. 28.—The Sultan of Morocco has won a victory over the Benanier tribe at Tadia. The tribes-

Lord Rossmead Dead.
LONDON, Oct. 28.—Lord Rossmead of Rossmead, better known by his former name and title as Sir Hercules

Fat Jobs in Turkey.
CONSTANTINOPLE Oct. 22.—The

government has opened a credit of £100,000 sterling in London to defray the cost of engaging British contractors as overseers in the contemplated reconstruction of the Turkish navy.

German Paper Seized.

PARIS, Oct. 23.—The police of this city today seized a German comic paper, "Der Witzblattler," containing cartoons ridiculing President Faure and the French Republic.

Attack on Van Zandt.

PARIS, Oct. 23.—A remarkable story is going the rounds as to the attitude of the Bretonduners' demonstration in March, 1883, against Miss Marie Van Zandt, the American singer. M. Maurice, a high official of the prefecture of police, declares that the memorable and offensive attack upon the singer was engineered by the anti-socialists, who, under the pretext of an intended demonstration against him by Radicals and Socialists, after the disastrous defeat of the French at

THEIR FATHER'S WILL.

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**PULLMAN'S SONS WILL NOT TRY TO
BREAK IT.**

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**Refuse to Admit or Deny the Sum-
mons That Their Sweethearts
Have Jilted Them on Account of
Being Disinherited.**

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[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
CHICAGO, Oct. 28.—There is to be
no contest of the Pullman will, so both
sons of the dead palace-car magnate
declared today. Said George M. Pull-
man: "The idea of wishing to contest
my father's will never entered my head
nor my brother's head, either. No steps
have been taken, none will be taken to
break the will. My relations with the
Pullman Palace Car Company and
with my family are most cordial.

Referring to the gossip that coupled his name with that of Miss Felicitie Oglesby in the character of a rejected suitor, Mr. Pullman said: "Our relations are exactly the same as they have always been. So far as my brother Sanger's engagement is concerned, that is an affair that concerns him. I do not choose to interfere in his business."

In terms as explicit as those employed by his brother, Sanger Pullman contradicted the rumor that his father's will was to be attacked in court. A more authoritative denial of the same rumor was also made by Mrs. Pullman.

Gustave Behring, the young man who was arrested while prowling around the Pullman residence, and who claims that he is a son of the late George M. Pullman, was examined by an insanity expert today, who pronounced the man sane. He was ac-

Behring declares he will push his claim against the estate of the dead millionaire.

WEATHER STATIONS.

Chief Moore Wants Money to Establish More of Them.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, October 25.—Chief Moore of the United States Weather

Bureau, in his annual report to Secretary Wilson, calls for an appropriation of \$1,000,000 for the purpose of establishing and equipping a bureau of fire, and this will admit of the establishment and equipment of new stations to important centers of population. Establishment of stations in the southwestern part of the country, embracing Arizona, New Mexico and Southern California, where storms frequently originate, is urged. Twenty experimental kite-flying stations are contemplated this year, and confidence in the great value of the ultimate result is expressed.

Pressure at the White House.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—There was more than the ordinary pressure at the White House today, on account of the coming arrival of the President, Secretary Alger and Lord Bessborough. The President for some time, President McKinley will issue his first Thanksgiving proclamation, as the date is today, November 28, as the date.

COAST RECORD.

MOB WANTED GORE.

SHERIFF McEVOY DIES OF HIS WOUNDS.

Redwood City Wildly Excited Over Thomas Flannelly's Double Murder.

HOW LYING WAS AVERTED.

PRISONER TAKEN TO SAN JOSE FOR SAFE KEEPING.

San Francisco Clerk's Vault Again Robbed—A Big Mining Deal. Runaway Girl Captured.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

REDWOOD CITY, Oct. 28.—The only thing that prevented a lynching here tonight was the absence of the intended victim, who had been spirited away to San Jose late this afternoon. For two days Sheriff McEvoe has been hovering between life and death as a result of a wound received on Tuesday from Thomas Flannelly, who was trying to arrest for the murder of his father, Patrick Flannelly. The Sheriff sank steadily from early this morning, and as soon as it became apparent that he would not recover there was intense excitement throughout the community, and threats of lynching the prisoner were heard on every side.

An angry mob surrounded the jail, an ancient and insecure building. Fearing an outbreak at any moment and a raid on the jail, it was deemed wise, as a precautionary measure, to remove the prisoner to the jail at San Jose. To divert the attention of the mob, which threatened to break into the jail, a false alarm of fire was turned in. This drew the crowd to another part of town, and Flannelly was hastily bundled into a wagon and driven to San Jose. The pace was rapid, and at Mayfield Under Sheriff Mansfield desired to procure a relay, but fresh horses were refused by the residents, none of whom possessed any sympathy for the prisoner.

It was some time before the crowd discovered that it had been defrauded of its intended victim. Sheriff McEvoe died at 10 o'clock tonight, and popular indignation knew no bounds. The double murder, however, is securely confined in the Santa Clara jail, twenty miles distant.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN JOSE, Oct. 28.—Thomas Flannelly, the Redwood City murderer, is safely lodged in the County Jail in this city. He was brought here tonight by Deputy Sheriff Desrieux and B. A. Rankin of Redwood City, the journey being made by infrequent roads so as to elude pursuers in case an attempt was made to follow them. While on the road Desrieux asked the prisoner if he did not think it was a good plan to get him out of the hands of the mob, and he replied: "Yes, I guess it would be rather unkind for me there."

Flannelly is suffering great pain from his wounds, but was able to walk with a cane and a little assistance from the officers. He refused to talk to reporters, but to Desrieux he told a flimsy story to the effect that he thought the officers who came after him were robbers, who had come after \$70 he had in his possession. He expressed an opinion that Sheriff McEvoe was not a good man, and would soon recover. He has not yet been informed that McEvoe is dead.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

Sheriff McEvoe was well known and highly esteemed here, and while his many friends deeply deplore his loss, there is no talk of lynching the prisoner.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

BELL HAS A FORTUNE. Yet He Has Been Living on the Charity of Friends. [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] OAKLAND, Oct. 28.—John Bell, an eccentric old man, who has been living about the town upon the charity of many with whom he became acquainted, claims that he is entitled to a share in the estate of Mrs. E. C. Bailey, who lives near Chelsea, Mass., not far from Boston. Mrs. Bailey's husband, who died many years ago, was manager of the Herald of that city, and the family is reputed to be worth a sum not less than \$3,000,000.

Bell offers proof of the fact that he is a brother of Mrs. Bailey, and has prevailed upon the officers of the Y.M.C.A. to write to Boston for verification of all he claims to be true. His reply has come from Mrs. Bailey, stating that her brother is incompetent and that a man has been selected to provide for his needs.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

BIG MINING DEAL.

English Capitalists Invest Half a Million in California.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 28.—English capital has invested an amount, said to be nearly \$500,000, in the purchase of the grand Victoria group of gold mines on Square Creek, in El Dorado county, seven miles above Marysville. This is the largest deal which has been made in California for some time, and the intention is to work the property on an extensive scale. The purchaser is the Transatlantic Mining Purchasing Syndicate (limited) of London, and the sellers were H. E. Pickett of Placerville and J. E. Wright of Indianapolis. The first payment has been made and the property has been taken possession of by the English syndicate, which has placed J. Halston Bell of Glasgow, Scotland, in charge. The reports on which the investment was made show a large body of low-grade ore, the vein being 25 feet wide and the ore running 15 to 25 per cent. The property comprises 180 acres of mineral land.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

BOND STOLEN.

San Francisco County Clerk's Vault Again Robbed.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 28.—The County Clerk's vault has again been robbed. The \$30,000 bond of J. C. Hughes, assignee of the bankrupt San Francisco Furniture Company, with F. M. W. Lange and E. H. Lange as sureties, is missing. Judge Black declares that he has no doubt that it has been stolen. Some time prior to its disappearance, however, one of the attorneys in the case took the precaution to have a certified copy of the bond made.

The affairs of the concern for the proper management of whose business the bond was given are in such a state that Judge Black described them as

"chaotic." A referee has been appointed, and weeks have been spent in striving to unravel the confusion and discover what has been done with the assets of the insolvent company, but thus far without success. It will be remembered that the Fair will and the Henry Martin will, besides other legal papers, also disappeared from the vault in the office of the County Clerk.

ICE-BOUND WHALERS.

Faint Hope That They May Escape from Their Ice Fetters.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 28.—Arctic navigators and operators of whaling vessels say there is still hope that the Belvedere, Orca, Fearless, Rosario and Jeanie, the five vessels that were caught in the ice west of Point Barrow, about October 1, will get out, but that hope is a very faint one. Their release from the ice pack would have to come very soon after they were inclosed by the floes, or their bones would before spring be drifting in the prevailing westerly currents toward the Siberian coast. Nothing but heavy southeasterly gales, which would drive the ice back from the land, would save them, and at this season of the year such winds are very rare in the Arctic Circle.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SHORT THRIFT.

Brutal Mexican Murderer Lynched in Arizona.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CLIFTON (Ariz.), Oct. 28.—At Morenci copper camp near Clifton, an offensive Mexican laborer was found near the Detroit smelter with a bullet hole through his neck and his head smashed to a pulp. Juan Madera, supposed to be one of the Chacon gang that tried to capture the town several months ago, was arrested and placed in the camp jail, a short section of boarded-up tunnel in the hillside. Shortly after the arrest several hundred Mexicans stormed the tunnel, broke through the door and riddled Madera with bullets. Shortly after the lynching a second murdered Mexican was found on the trail near Duncan on the outskirts of Morenci. At the same time Madera given the same atrocious treatment as the first one, there is no doubt that the crime was the work of the man lynched.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NOT GUILTY.

Dan Dutcher and Mrs. Schofield Go to Court.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

SAN JOSE, Oct. 28.—The jury in the Dan Dutcher case returned a verdict of acquittal this morning, after being out all night. The verdict was received with applause, which was promptly checked by the court. After Dutcher was discharged, the District Attorney moved that the court discharge Mrs. Schofield, also, on the ground that the evidence was submitted in the Dutcher case; and that he, having been acquitted, it was useless to proceed against the defendant. The motion was granted, and both defendants' friends left the courtroom. Dutcher's friend was visibly affected by the verdict, but neither of the defendants betrayed any feeling, other than relief. A crowd assembled outside the jail to see them leave.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

DETERMINED TO DIE.

Loss of Wife and Fortune Drove "Diver" to Self-destruction.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 28.—Raymond A. Diver, an insurance agent in the employ of the Mutual Benefit Life Association of this city, committed suicide by swallowing a quantity of cyanide of potassium in a vacant room in the building at No. 415 Montgomery street last night, his body being discovered shortly before noon today by some occupants of the building. He left a note addressed to the Coroner announcing his intention of taking poison, and if this means proved ineffective to use a couple of pistols. The loss of his wife and business failure are assigned as the cause of the suicide. He was a native of New York, aged 56.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

KILLED BY OVERWORK.

Death of Chief Justice Truesdale of Arizona.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.), Oct. 28.—Chief Justice Hiram C. Truesdale died this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at his rooms in the Adams Hotel, after an illness of three weeks. Death was caused by cerebral meningitis, complicated with typhoid fever. He had been in office only four months, and his disease, according to his physicians, was brought on by overwork in his charge of the important Third Judicial District. His wife was present at his bedside, as was also his brother, General Manager A. H. Truesdale of the Rock Island Railway. He was 38 years of age, and a native of Iowa, and was appointed from Minneapolis.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

JACK, THE KIDNAPER.

Second Bold Attempt at Abduction at Santa Rosa.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SANTA ROSA, Oct. 28.—Great excitement was caused here tonight by the attempt of an unknown man to abduct the beautiful daughter of J. J. Kearns, a prominent business man. The fellow threw her down and nearly choked her to death, only letting her up when she promised to go with him. When she allowed him to rise she screamed at the top of her voice, scaring him away. This is the second time an attempt at abduction has been made here this week, the other victim being an elderly woman, who was nearly choked by a man, who succeeded in making his escape without being identified.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

A FINE WEAPON.

How William Deming Tested His Revolver at Sacramento.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

SACRAMENTO, Oct. 28.—Early this morning William Deming, a laborer, shot Antonio Valles (colored) in the jaw and then committed suicide by shooting himself with the same revolver. No cause is known for the affair. Valles stating that he merely made some remark about Deming's fine weapon when the latter shot him. Valles then ran from the house to a grocery for assistance, and Deming immediately turned the weapon on himself.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

RUNAWAY GIRL.

Found by a Detective in a Lodging-house.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 28.—Lucia Barrie, a pretty little girl of 14 years, who has been missing from her home in Tuolumne county for a week past, was found this morning by Detective Anthony in a lodging-house on Fourth street. Miss Barrie, her home last Friday to compare with Frank Brown.

ley, a tailor, and his wife. She was arrested at Stockton on a message from her mother, but as no warrant was forthcoming, she was allowed to resume her trip.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

OVERDUE SHIPS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 28.—The British ship Taymouth is out 180 days from Liverpool for this port, and some anxiety is being expressed for her safety. The vessel is a new one, and it is thought that under ordinary circumstances she should have arrived here a month ago. The Newcastle ship Orienta is also making a long passage to this harbor. She left Newcastle 17 days ago, but she has never shown herself to a very faint one. Their release from the ice pack would have to come very soon after they were inclosed by the floes, or their bones would before spring be drifting in the prevailing westerly currents toward the Siberian coast. Nothing but heavy southeasterly gales, which would drive the ice back from the land, would save them, and at this season of the year such winds are very rare in the Arctic Circle.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

TRIED TO ESCAPE.

MONTREY, Oct. 28.—Julia Johnson, the negro charged with infanticide, who has been out on bail since her arrest several weeks ago, tried to escape on the early train this morning, and was subsequently surrendered by her bondsmen, having been discovered in a closet of the train. The crime with which she is charged is the killing of her child by severing its head from its body. The infant's head was found buried in a vacant lot, but the rest of the body has never been discovered.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

A REVISED VERDICT.

OAKLAND, Oct. 28.—The third trial of Loren Fox's suit for damages for the killing of his four-year-old son, Arthur Fox, ended today with a verdict of \$4000 in favor of the plaintiff. The case has attracted more than usual attention from the opinion given by Justice Van Fleet of the Supreme Court, that the former judgment of \$6000 was excessive. This time the jury lowered \$1000, but was within range of the appellate court's view.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

LUMBER SCHOONER LAUNCHED.

EUREKA, Oct. 28.—From the shipyard of H. D. Bendixsen at Fair Haven the three-masted schooner Mildred was launched this afternoon, being the third vessel completed there since the war. Her net tonnage is 412, and she will carry 500,000 feet of lumber. Albert Meyer of San Francisco is her managing owner. The vessel has been ordered by J. R. Hanley & Co. of San Francisco, and on her maiden voyage will take a cargo of lumber to Honolulu. She will probably continue in the Hawaiian trade.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

ASHURST MURDER TRIAL.

HOLLISTER, Oct. 28.—The case of John Ashurst, charged with the murder of Frank Lynch at New Idria, on September 1, is on trial at the Superior Court before Judge M. T. Doling. The last two days have been consumed in selecting a jury. The opening statement of the prosecution shows that they expect to prove that the shooting was not done in self-defense, as is apparently claimed by the defense, but that it was premeditated.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

TIPTON HAS VANISHED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 28.—C. A. Tipton, aged 26 years, has mysteriously disappeared. For five years he was employed on the ranch of John McGowan at Watsonville. On June 6, last year, he came to the city to have his eyes treated by an oculist. Since then nothing has been heard of him. He is said to be \$500 with his employer, and his trunk containing his clothing and personal effects, which makes the case all the more mysterious.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

BOY'S ARM TORN OFF.

OAKLAND, Oct. 28.—Edgar Cochran, 15 years old, had his right arm nearly torn from the socket today when he was operating a leather-splitting machine in Brown & Adams tannery. The boy's arm was caught between heavy rollers and before the machine was stopped he was nearly killed.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

CAUGHT IN MACHINERY.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 28.—William Cassidy, employed at Point San Francisco on an engine used to drive a concrete mill, was caught in the machinery today and very seriously injured. His right arm was badly mangled, his nose and lips were torn to shreds and his forehead stripped to the bone.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

CRUISER BALTIMORE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 28.—Late this afternoon the cruiser Baltimore crossed the bay and anchored at Sausalito, where she will be until Saturday, when it is expected she will sail for Honolulu. Ten of the sailors who deserted from her made several efforts to return today, but failed to raise money enough to get to the vessel.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

BOILER EXPLOSION.

EUREKA, Oct. 28.—The boiler of an upright donkey engine on the north jetty exploded this morning. Engineer George Wilson was badly scalded about the hands and face and Harry Gardner was thrown into the bay. The cause of the explosion carried the engine over the pier and wrecked the pile driver, which it was operating.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NURSE HAWKINS DYING.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 28.—Nurse Hawkins, the young man who volunteered to attend the case of typhoid fever that was recently treated at the City and County Hospital, is believed to have the malady, and to be dying. The case he volunteered to nurse was the first of the kind ever known on the Coast.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

GOING TO SEE THE PRESIDENT.

EUREKA, Oct. 28.—Jerry James, chief of the tribe of Humboldt Bay Indians, started today for Washington, D. C., to interview President McKinley in reference to a government school for his tribe, to be located on Humboldt Bay.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

CHILD BURNED TO DEATH.

ALAMEDA, Oct. 28.—Little three-year-old Isabella White, daughter of E. J. White, was burned to death today. She was playing with matches when her dress caught fire. Her mother extinguished the flames, but the child died a few hours afterward.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WANTS A SECOND TERM.

OAKLAND, Oct. 28.—Congressman S. G. Hilborn has announced that he is a candidate for re-nomination, and that he has not made any combinations in the Alameda county fight for Governor.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

EDITOR RAVENSCROFT ACQUITTED.

SANTA ROSA, Oct. 28.—D. W. Ravenscroft, editor of the Petaluma Courier, was today acquitted of the charge of libel preferred by Michael Walsh, a City Trustee of Petaluma. The jury was out only fifteen minutes.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

BENJAMIN ACQUITTED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 28.—Charles A. Benjamin, the sailor who was accused of the murder of August Johnson, mate of the schooner Irmgard, was today acquitted by a jury in Judge Dunne's court. Benjamin and Johnson went out in a Whitehall boat on August 22 last and some time afterward Benjamin returned to shore without his companion. Several days later the remains of Johnson were found on the Alameda shore, and Benjamin was charged with his murder. There was no evidence to contradict the story of the defendant that Johnson fell overboard and was drowned.

TO SAVE SEAL LIFE.

CONFEREES AT WASHINGTON MAKING PROGRESS.

A Proposition Practically Agreed Upon That Will Change the Whole Question.

IT HAS FAR-REACHING SCOPE.

RUSSIA SIDES WITH THE UNITED STATES.

Japan Expected to Fall Into Line.

It Only Remains for England to Give Its Consent to the Scheme.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—In reliable quarters it is stated that the conference between Russia, Japan and the United States, now proceeding here in reference to sealing in the Bering Sea and the North Pacific, has advanced to an important stage and that a proposition has been reduced to writing which, if accepted, will bring about a complete change in the sealing question. The proposition is said to be acceptable to the United States and Russia, and Japan will probably endorse it too.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

THE GREATEST SECRECY IS PRESERVED.

In all official circles as to the nature of the proposition, and it is not officially admitted that any proposition has been made. From reliable sources it is understood that the proposition has a far-reaching scope and provides for the material limitation or entire suspension of pelagic sealing or sealing on the high sea. Such a decisive step, if agreed to by Russia, Japan and the United States, would, it is understood, not involve any concerted move to menace the claims of Great Britain and Canada to the right of pelagic sealing on the high sea, but would rather be a proposition expressive of the conclusions of the three most interested powers, that in the interests of humanity and the preservation of the seal herds of the seal, Russia, Japan and Canada, should unite with Russia, the United States and Japan in such effective prevention of pelagic sealing on the high seas as will put an end to it and thereby secure the preservation of the seal.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

THE LAST ACT OF THE PARLIAMENT.

carried the modus up to December 31 next. It is clearly the desire of the Russian delegates to secure the largest possible protection for her fur seals, and this established throughout the deliberations a close cooperation between the governments of Russia, Japan and Japan. It was not so clear that her interests were for further restrictions on pelagic sealing. On the contrary, one of the Japanese delegates made it clear that Japan had more interest in catching seals than in preserving them.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

THE CONFERENCE BEING AGREED.

It only remains to hear from the respective governments they represent. An adjournment was taken until next Monday, by which time it is not doubted that the governments at St. Petersburg and Tokio will have taken final action on the proposition.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

THROUGHOUT THE DELIBERATIONS.

there was a desire to make an issue with Great Britain, or to take any action offensive in character or likely to summarily abridge her rights. It was covered by the conference by the well-established rules of international law, no step should be taken in limiting pelagic sealing on the high seas, without endeavoring to secure the cooperation of all parties concerned, particularly Great Britain.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

LUTGERT'S COUNSEL.

Judge Vincent May Not Take Part in His Case. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] CHICAGO, Oct. 28.—Ex-Judge Vincent may not appear as counsel for Adolph L. Lutgert in his second trial, which is scheduled for next week. Vincent urged Lutgert to agree to a reasonable continuance of the case, but the latter is obdurate. Vincent then told Lutgert that he had neglected his business three months to try the case, and now proposed to have a little time for himself. This made Lutgert very angry, and he sent for Attorney Ramsay, formerly assigned to the case, and consulted him relative to taking charge of the second trial.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

THE CASE CONTINUED.

CHICAGO, Oct. 28.—At 4 o'clock this afternoon Lutgert appeared before Judge Chetlain with Phalen, and his case continued to the next term of court, on his motion. State's Attorney Deenen was present. Previous to the continuance, it had been positively agreed by counsel that Lutgert's second trial should begin on November 8, and Lutgert wanted this understood.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SOUND ANIMALS WANTED.

Australia Has Veterinary Inspectors in This Country.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON.

Oct. 28.—The Department of Agriculture has been officially notified of the appointment by New South Wales of a veterinary inspector at San Francisco to examine and grant certificates of health for American horses to be shipped to Australia from that point. A similar appointment of a veterinary inspector at New York, in behalf of Australia, was recently made by New South Wales to facilitate the shipment of cattle, sheep and swine to that country from New York and other points. It is further informed that American-bred merinos are the "premium" sheep in Australia, and that the breeding and shipping of such sheep to that market is becoming more and more popular.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

INDICTED FOR MURDER.

True Bills Returned Against Sheriff Martin and Deputies.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

WILKESBARRE (Pa.), Oct. 28.—The grand jury returned true bills against Sheriff Martin and deputies for the Latimer shooting. The bills include thirteen for murder, one for manslaughter, and one for the victims, considered collectively. Thirty-six true bills were found in the same way for felonious wounding. It is likely that Sheriff Martin and his deputies will elect to be tried together. The entry of Garman & McElroy, who withdrew from the case at the time of the preliminary hearing, indicates that the prosecution will be pushed with vigor.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

"A MINE OF INFORMATION."

[Kalamazoo Telegraph.] The Telegraph has received a copy of the Mining Number of the Los Angeles Times, sixteen pages. It is a mine of information.

PENSIONS FOR CALIFORNIANS.

New List from the War Department.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—Pensions were granted to Californians today as follows: Andre Zallegos, Soldiers' Home, Los Angeles; Charles H. Hickmon, Los Angeles; Joseph Ozenberger, Middletown; James Gilmartin, Soldiers' Home, Los Angeles; Serena C. Small, Saratoga.

The California delegates to the fifth annual convention of the National Spiritualists' Association, which adjourned last night, were: W. C. Bowman, Mrs. J. C. Whitney, William H. Yeard, Rebecca I. Johnson and Anna E. Jagers.

Dr. Peebles of San Diego was in attendance, and took an active part in the proceedings.

The Postoffice Department today ordered an increase in the mail messenger service at Edna, San Luis Obispo county, from the Southern Pacific Railroad.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

FLOATING FACTS.

John Bowie Strange Camp of Confederate veterans of Charlottesville, Va., have perfected a plan for the erection of an equestrian statue of Stonewall Jackson.

By way of commemorating the seventieth birthday of Adolf Menzel, the Berlin Academy of Plastic Arts has founded a scholarship of the annual value of 800 marks, for which students of painting or sculpture may compete.

The number of pilgrims to Burns' birthplace last year was 38,000. During the same period 30,000 persons visited Shakespeare's house at Stratford-on-Avon, and 1108 paid a tribute to the memory of Thomas Carlyle by going to see his old home at Ecclefechan.

A blind woman, Miss Bouley, took one of the first prizes for counterpoint and fugue at the Paris Conservatory this year, while two others of the sex shared the harp prize at the Brussels Conservatory. Miss Hanson was awarded the first prize "with the greatest distinction," and the first harp prize was given also to a woman.

The deepest hole ever bored into the earth is at Rybnik, in Upper Silesia, and has now attained a depth of over 2000 meters.

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Remarkable Things Being Done This Year to Secure Votes; by M. M.

Self-Denial.

The Times' Sunday Morning Sermon; by Rev. George R. Van de Water.

Woman's Page.

Smart Shows—Stylish Fashionable Cobblers Are Introducing This Season by Fanny Sanders. Indoor Toilets—The Elegant Simplicity for New Costumes Intime; by Emily Hazard. Henheim Under an American Regime; by M. Davis. Cheap House Building—What Can Be Done With \$100; by Emily Ford. A Champion for International Arbitration. Mr. Chipperly's Ideas.

Boys and Girls.

That Big Book—A Hallows'een Story; by Gerald Brennan. New Parlor Games—A Good Way to Help Entertain Hallows'een Parties. A Wall Cabinet. "The Luck of Edenhall." Restoration of the Famous Crystal Ball to the Rightful Owner. President Adams's Trees. Carlo and Bruno. Two Famous New York State Snake-Killers.

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CONSUMPTION CURED. Dr. W. Harrison Ballard
406 Stinson Block.
TREATISE ON CONSUMPTION SENT ON REQUEST.

THE PUBLIC SERVICE. A THRIFTY ANGLER.

HIS BUSINESS INTERRUPTED
BY THE PARK BOARD.

New Incumbent Stated for the Of-
fice of Meat and Milk
Inspector.

JOHN VASALO'S TRIAL ENDED.

THE JURY TO DECIDE THE ARSON
CASE TODAY.

Dick Bird Pleads Not Guilty to For-
gery and His Trial Is Set for
November 13—Suit Against
Meyers Decided.

The Park Commissioners met in regu-
lar session yesterday. They were very
indignant over the discovery that the
losse of the boating privilege in East-
lake Park has been habitually catching
and selling gold fish from the park
lake. The board gave peremptory or-
ders that the practice should be stopped.

City Hall reports indicate that Fred
T. Hughes has been selected to succeed
the present Meat and Milk Inspector,
whose resignation takes effect next
Monday.

The trial of John Vasalo, charged
with having set fire to his fruit store
on South Main street last May for the
purpose of obtaining insurance money,
was on before Judge Smith and a jury
yesterday. The evidence was submitted
and arguments were made. The case
will be given to the jury this morning.

Richard Bird, charged with forgery,
pleaded not guilty before Judge Smith
yesterday and his trial was set for
November 13.

Judge Smith dismissed the suit
brought by L. W. Stevens to oust A. J.
Meyers, Constable at Santa Monica,
from office on charges of malfeasance.

(AT THE CITY HALL.)

A LONE FISHERMAN.

HE HAS BEEN ANGLING FOR GOLD
FISH IN A CITY PARK.

The Park Commissioners Put a Sum-
mary Stop to His Sport—Fred
Hughes, slated for the Vacancy
in the Health Office.

The Park Commissioners were mad
yesterday morning. They had discov-
ered that John White, the lessee of the
boating privilege at Eastlake Park, has
been in the habit, for a long time past,
of catching and selling the gold fish
with which the park lake is stocked.
Already, it was learned, the thrifty
White had disposed of 200 gold fish, and
he had placed several dozen more in a
tank to await purchasers.

The board regarded White's transac-
tions with all the decided disapproba-
tion that the proverbial stern parent
displays toward the small boy who is
caught fishing on Sunday. White re-
ceived a vigorous reprimand at the hands
of the commissioners. They perempto-
rily ordered him to let the city's gold
fish alone in the future, and directed
him to deliver to the Park Superintend-
ent the fish which he had in his tank.
The Park Superintendent was in-
structed to present a bill to White for
200 gold fish at \$5 per hundred.
White, he alleged, had been in the habit
of catching and selling the gold fish
acts that in an old lease of the boating
privilege the right to fish in the park
lake was given to the lessee. This pro-
vision, however, was omitted from all
subsequent leases, as White was well
aware.

It is safe to assume that in future
when John White comes fishing for gold
fish it will not be in the park lake.
The Park Commissioners decided to
transfer some of the gold fish and black
bass from Eastlake to some of the
other parks. To this end the Park
Superintendent was instructed to pur-
chase as many 150 feet long at cost of \$15.
The following commission was given to
the Academy of Sciences of Southern
California was received and read:

"Whereas, the city of Los Angeles
possesses within its large park area
an exceptional range of soil, exposure
and elevation for the growth of plants;
and, whereas, these advantages, taken
with its mild climate, provide condi-
tions favorable to a greater number
of trees than could be successfully
grown anywhere else in the United
States; be it

"Resolved, that the Southern California
Academy of Sciences respectfully
suggest to the Park Commission of
Los Angeles the use of the city parks
and the ornamental planting for the
establishment of an arboretum de-
signed to be the most complete in the
temperate zone, and the academy
further suggests that the former com-
mitment of the plan be made with
the wonderful world-renowned forest
flora of California. The grand work
to be commenced and carried on as
the means available permit. The trees
already planted and growing naturally
can be botanically identified by local
botanists, whereupon these and all new
plantations should be charted, so that
all those interested in economic or or-
namental plants can use the parks for
their study as well as for pleasure."
The Southern California Academy of
Sciences is convinced that with little
or no additional expense the parks of
Los Angeles can be made the Mecca
of American botanists, and there at-
tract and hold many visitors, while
offering new interest and varied in-
struction to our own people. The
commissioners planning for the future
until the next meeting.

MEAT AND MILK INSPECTOR.

Fred Hughes Is Slated to Succeed
George K. Dodson.

Fred T. Hughes will, in all probab-
ility, be appointed Meat and Milk In-
spector next Monday, to succeed George K.
Dodson, whose resignation takes effect
on that date.

There are several of the Councilmen
who have displayed the utmost willing-
ness to name the new incumbent of his
office. Patronage is none to plentiful
this year, and there is much pulling
and hauling whenever an office becomes
vacant.

This instance has finally been conceded
to Baker, and he has fixed upon Fred
T. Hughes as his choice. It is under-
stood that a majority of the other
Councilmen will acquiesce in the nomi-
nation, and that Hughes will be elected
Meat and Milk Inspector on Monday.
Hughes bears a good reputation, and
is spoken of as a capable and industri-
ous "practical butcher." Hughes is the
proprietor of the Durham market on
Temple street. His is a Republican,
and his installation in office will be
another unpleasant reminder to the
Democratic Councilmen of the days be-
fore they quarreled with the Mayor,
when health office jobs were dispensed
to none but Democrats.

STORM DRAIN NEEDED.

The Health Officer Calls Attention to
a Nuisance.

For a long time past the residents
on Flower street, between Fourth and
Sixth streets, have suffered great in-
convenience whenever a heavy rain has
occurred, by reason of the accumula-
tion of storm water in that part of the
street. It is a natural hollow into
which the water flows from all sides
and it has long been a serious problem
how to afford adequate drainage. Dr.
Powers, the Health Officer, has pre-
pared the following report to the Coun-
cil on the matter:

"I respectfully call your attention to
a dangerous and intolerable nuisance
on Flower street between Fourth and
Sixth streets, which is due to an ac-
cumulation of water, and to the conse-
quence of the low grade of this por-
tion of the street and the insufficiency
of the storm drain to carry the water
off. I believe that the nuisance exists
in order that the residents of this vic-
inity may preserve their health and
enjoy the privileges of their property."

Filed with the City Clerk.

R. H. Chapman has filed a communi-
cation to the Council asking permission
to withdraw his signature from the pe-
tition to improve Downey avenue. He
states that he signed the petition under
a misapprehension.

Bids on Sewers.

The Sewer Committee has adopted a
report recommending that the bids of
George Banas to sewer Garibaldi and
Clara streets at 55 cents per lineal foot
be accepted, and to sewer the West End
Terrace at 81 cents per lineal foot for
sewer complete, be accepted, and the
necessary resolution of award adopted.

(AT THE COURT HOUSE.)

VASALO TRIED FOR ARSON

CHARGED WITH HAVING SET FIRE
TO HIS FRUIT STORE.

Attorneys McComas and Crawford
Have a Worthy Settle in Which
Both Win and Lose—Case to be
Submitted This Morning.

The trial of John Vasalo, charged
with having set fire to his fruit store
at No. 670 South Main street in May
last, was commenced in Department
One yesterday before Judge Smith and
a jury.

Several witnesses were called, the
substance of their testimony being that
they had visited Vasalo's store immedi-
ately after the alarm had been turned
in, and had detected a strong odor
from coal oil. One of these was Deputy
Constable Mugniet, who found not
only a tumbler of oil with a burned
wick in close proximity to a bundle of
loose paper, but Vasalo, as well, in the
store when he forced an entrance
through the back door.

Thomas Hutto, a police officer, was
one of the most important witnesses for
the prosecution. He had heard the
alarm and immediately located the fire.
Suspecting that there was something
wrong, he entered the store, and found
investigate. He found a goblet of oil,
in which a partly-burned wick was lying.
The goblet was upon the floor be-
hind a counter, and a small box, which
rested another box filled with paper
open side down. The odor of oil was
also detected in a rear room where the
wicks were found to have been badly
scorched.

The witness had noticed that the
doors of the store were closed at noon,
three hours later. His attention was
particularly attracted by this circum-
stance, as he had never noticed the
store closed before during business
hours.

Deputy Constable Mugniet was re-
called and testified to having arrested
Vasalo in the store and sent him to the
City Jail in a patrol wagon. Shortly
after he called upon the prisoner, from
whom he learned that an insurance of
\$50 had been taken out on the store,
and that the policy was in the money
drawer in the store. The officer after-
ward found the policy in the drawer
as indicated.

"Oh, I'm all right," said Vasalo to
the deputy constable. "Me gotta in-
surance on da store and all my mon
in da bank. I'm not worried. I got
pocket to substantiate his assertion.
A lively tilt arose between Deputy
District Attorney McComas and Wil-
liam Crawford, attorney for Vasalo,
when W. A. Bonyne, agent for the
company with whom the fruit-dealer
had taken out his policy, was called
to the stand for the prosecution. Mc-
Comas approached the clerk to ob-
tain the policy, which he intended to
place in evidence.

"Well, he hasn't got the policy," re-
marked Crawford.
"The clerk is not in possession of the
policy for the reason that I have it
myself."
"Well, you just produce it, then,"
commanded McComas, reaching over to
retrieve the instrument without a
question in his mind that it would be
promptly surrendered.
"Well, I guess not," replied Crawford.
"You can't get it without first having
served five days' notice."
Then Judge Smith took a hand.
"You quote me," he said, "but I don't believe
the law you quote refers to matters of
this kind, and so I think you had better
produce the policy."
"But Your Honor, a provision in—"
"Never mind, Mr. Crawford, the
court has ruled upon the objection, and
the ruling stands," interrupted Mc-
Comas. But Attorney Crawford wouldn't
down, and for half an hour "Greenleaf
on Evidence" and volume after volume
of the Civil Code were referred to. The
incident was closed temporarily by an
order from Judge Smith that the policy
be produced at 2 p.m.

At 2 o'clock the attorneys and Judge
Smith arrived, and the production of
the policy was in order.
"Your Honor," I decline to produce
the document in court at this time. I
have the law to prove the correctness
of my assertion, and will stand upon
that to the last ditch."
McComas had become warmed up by
this time and urged upon the court,
with much emphasis, his conviction
that Crawford was guilty of contempt.
Judge Smith seemed inclined to look
upon matters in the same light. It was
finally decided, however, that if Mr.
Bonyne could produce the records of
the insurance company in court the
difficulty would be overcome. And so
Mr. Bonyne produced the records, and
both Crawford and McComas gained a
victory, while, at the same time, both
suffered defeat.

The case was then argued, after
which adjournment was taken until
this morning at 9 o'clock, when in-
structions will be read and the case
turned over to the jury.

JUSTICE OWENS'S CASE.

Another New Move by the Attor-
neys.

The suit brought several weeks ago
by Ah Louie, who denied the right of
Police Judge Owens to try him for
gambling on the ground that Owens
was not entitled to hold office, has
been continued from time to time until
finally it was agreed that arguments
would be heard by the Superior Judges
sitting en banc in Department Two to-
morrow.

Yesterday afternoon, however, this
arrangement was knocked skyward by
a stipulation filed by the attorneys,
which agreed that the case should be
stricken from the calendar to be reset
for trial at some future date.

The attorneys deny that it is their
intention to delay the case. They claim
definitely and beyond the tenure of
Justice Owens. They say that the con-
tinuances are due to the pressure of
business caused by previous engage-
ments.

YOUNG FERRY CAPTURED.

In the County Jail Awaiting Exam-
ination for Burglary.

Ervin Ferry, a thirteen-year-old boy,
was arrested at the home of his par-
ents at Vernon Wednesday night for
burglary by Deputy Constables Yonken
and Thomas of this city. The officers
experienced considerable difficulty in
effecting the capture. When they in-
quired at the house for the boy, about
8 o'clock in the evening, they were told
by the lad's father that he was not
there. A search was insisted upon,
however, and Deputy Yonken started
in to make a tour of the building. After
a thorough search, without success,
Yonken entered a small bedroom and
spied the boy just in the act of crawl-
ing out of a window. He had just
captured the boy when the lights were
suddenly extinguished and the boy was
left in total darkness struggling with
his prisoner. Young Ferry was brought to
this city and placed in the County
Jail. He was taken before Justice
Young yesterday and his bond fixed at
\$1000.

Ferry was a member of a trio of
youngsters, composed of Will Ford,
William Schaefer and himself, charged
with having entered the residence of
J. O. Butler at Downey on the night of
October 15 and stealing a watch and
several articles of clothing. Ford and
Schaefer were arrested several days ago
and each was placed under \$1000 bonds.
All are now in jail.

DICK BIRD IN COURT.

His Trial for Forgery Set for No-
vember 14.

Richard Bird, the defaulting secre-
tary charged with having forged the
name of G. J. Griffith, while in the
latter's employ, appeared before Judge
Smith yesterday to plead. Bird's at-
torneys filed a demurrer to the com-
plaint, in which they contended that
Bird was charged with more than one
offense at the preliminary examina-
tion, and that more than one alleged
forgery was charged, and that Justice
Young was therefore not justified in
holding him for trial in the Superior
Court. Deputy District Attorney Mc-
Comas argued in reply that separate
and distinct transactions were brought
up at the examination, they consti-
tuted one continuous offense. Judge
Smith thought so, and ordered Bird
to enter his plea. The prisoner
pleaded not guilty, and his trial was
set for November 14.

CAN HOLD HIS JOB.

Constable Meyers Wins in the
Stevens Suit.

Judge York has dismissed the suit
brought by L. W. Stevens to oust Con-
stable A. J. Meyers of Santa Monica
from office for alleged malfeasance. A
demurrer had been interposed to the
complaint and sustained, whereupon
the plaintiff asked leave to amend.
Judge York denied the plaintiff's mo-
tion upon statutory grounds, citing a
number of Supreme Court decisions in
this and other States to sustain his
position.

FLOTTAN AND JETMAN.

Miscellaneous Driftwood Thrown
Into the Courts.

PROMISSORY NOTE. Lulu Hall
has brought suit against J. B. Os-
borne to recover \$1250 loaned October
21, 1896, on a promissory note.

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION
Carrie B. Hoff has applied for letters
of administration upon the estate of
her late husband, J. C. Hoff. The es-
tate consists of a small parcel of real
estate situated in this city.

SUED BY A CONTRACTOR. James
R. Watson brings suit against Mattie
E. Hinch and others to recover \$214
alleged to be due for labor and mate-
rials furnished in repairing a dwelling-
house.

WANTS DAMAGES. Constable
George B. Dexter of Santa Monica is
made defendant in a suit for \$400 dam-
ages. The complaint alleges that
Dexter seized a house which Hackett
was moving, under a writ of execu-
tion based against one F. T. Bush,
to whom the constable believed the
property belonged. Hackett alleged
ownership and demanded a release,
which was denied him.

GERMAN AGAIN. Claims against
R. Gorman, who transferred his drug
store in this city to W. E. de Groo
and then left the State, continue to
come to light. The latest is filed by
Lord, Owen & Co., who have brought
suit against Gorman to recover \$35
for goods delivered.

PLAINTIFF WINS. The trial of
the forcible suit brought against
Anderson Majors and wife and Thomas
Ewing, by E. N. McDonald, was con-
cluded in Department Five yesterday.
Judge Shaw rendered judgment for the
plaintiff. The suit was brought on a
note for \$25 and interest, secured by
a mortgage on a lot at No. 1942 East
Ninth street.

RAILWAY STATISTICS

FACTS AND FIGURES ABOUT
THE IRON HIGHWAYS.

Abstract of the Annual Report of
the Interstate Commerce
Commission.

TOTAL MILEAGE AND EARNING

STUPENDOUS FIGURES NEEDED TO
EXPRESS THEM.

More Than Sixty Per Cent. of Oper-
ating Expenses Paid as Wages
of Employees—Fatalities of
Trainmen.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—The ninth
statistical report of the Interstate Com-
merce Commission, prepared by its
statistician, being the complete report
for the year ending June 30, 1896, for
which a preliminary income account
was issued in December, 1896, has just
been submitted, of which the following
is an abstract.

In the beginning of the report it is
stated that on June 30, 1896, there were
151 roads in the hands of receivers, a
net decrease of 18 being shown in the
number of receiverships, as compared
with the previous year. The length of
operated mileage represented by these
151 roads was 20,475.39 miles, the corre-
sponding mileage on June 30, 1895, being
37,555.80 miles. Of the roads in the
hands of receivers on June 30, 28 oper-
ated a mileage greater than 300 miles,
and 28 operated a mileage between 100
and 300 miles. The capital stock rep-
resented by the railways controlled by
receivers on June 30, 1896, was \$742,597,
688, and the funded debt was \$99,733,
766. As compared with the correspond-
ing figures for 1895, the figures given
show a decrease of over \$18,000,000 in
capital stock, and \$19,000,000 in funded
debt.

The total railway mileage in the
United States on June 30, 1896, was
182,776.64 miles, there being an increase
of 219.16 miles, or 1.17 per cent., during
the year. California showed an in-
crease of 202.65 miles; Florida, 125.84
miles; Georgia, 233.77 miles; Louisiana,
120.17 miles; and 49 were unclassified.
Minnesota, 110.43 miles; Ohio, 111.06
miles; Pennsylvania, 168.18 miles;
Texas, 144.75 miles; Wisconsin, 115.25
miles, and Indian Territory, 151.66 miles.
The increase in mileage in the other
States and Territories in which an in-
crease has occurred is less than 100
miles. The aggregate length of rail-
way mileage, including all tracks, on
June 30, 1896, was 240,129.12 miles, the
increase being 2324.86 miles. The length
of second track was 10,635.16
miles; of third track, 900.45 miles; of
fourth track, 764.15 miles. The
mileage of yard track and sidings was 44,
315.75 miles.

The total number of locomotives in
service on June 30, 1896, was 35,850,
or 251 more than on the same date of the
preceding year. Of this number 5943
were passenger locomotives, 20,351 were
freight locomotives, 5161 were switch-
ing locomotives, and 495 were unclassi-
fied. The number of cars of all
classes in service was 1,297,649, indi-
cating an increase of 27,988 cars during
the year ending June 30, 1896. The
number of cars assigned to freight ser-
vice increased 25,768, being 1,221,887. The
statistician's office has no record of
the number of cars owned by private
companies and individuals that are
used by railways in transportation of
freight.

On June 30, 1896, the number of
passenger locomotives fitted with auto-
matic couplers was 5616, and the number
of freight locomotives was 17,921. The
number of passenger locomotives fitted
with automatic couplers was 450, out
of a total of 5943, and the number of
freight locomotives was 3372, out of a
total of 20,351. The number of pas-
senger cars fitted with train brakes on
June 30, 1896, was 32,413, and the
number fitted with automatic couplers
was 31,446, out of a total of 32,063. The
number of cars in freight service
fitted with train brakes was 273,578,
and the number fitted with automatic
couplers was 260,233, out of a total of
1,221,887.

EMPLOYEES.
The number of men employed by the
railways of the United States on June
30, 1896, shows an increase of 41,586,
being 826,620, which, assigned on a mile-
age basis, gives 454 men per 100 miles
of line. The corresponding figures for
the year ending June 30, 1895, were
\$72,607 and 515. The assignment of em-
ployees corresponding to the four main
divisions of the classification of operat-
ing expenses was as follows: General
administration, 31,792; maintenance
of way and structures, 243,627; main-
tenance of equipment, 167,450; conducting
transportation, 373,747; unclassified,
960.

For the first time, a summary show-
ing the amount of compensation paid to
the several classes of railway employes
is presented in this report. It includes
the compensation of over 95 per cent.
of the employes for 1895 and 1896. The
aggregate amount of money paid in
wages and salaries, as shown in the
summary for the year ending June 30,
1896, was \$168,824,531, or 60.65 per cent.
of the total operating expenses of rail-
ways. The aggregate compensation for
1895 was \$145,568,261, or 61.28 per cent.
of the total operating expenses.

CAPITALIZATION AND VALUATION
The amount of railway capital on
June 30, 1896, was \$10,566,665,771, which,
assigned on a mileage basis, shows a
capital of \$56.610 per mile of line. It
should be noted, however, that these
figures do not include current liabilities,
which, if included as a part of
capital, as in former years, would in-
crease the amount of railway capital
to \$12,000,000, making the amount
per mile of line \$68.048. The amount of
capital stock was \$5,228,527,268, of which
\$4,256,073.53 was common stock, and
\$969,453,735 preferred stock. The funded
debt was \$5,340,338,502, consisting of
bonds, \$4,817,872,063; miscellaneous ob-
ligations, \$527,466,439. The amount of
equity capital was \$9,928,188,766, and
the amount of debt was \$5,340,338,502.
The amount of stock paid on a dividend
was \$3,667,568,194, or 20.17 per cent. of the total out-
standing. The amount of debt, not
including equipment trust obligations,
which paid no interest, was \$466,559,442.
Of the stock-paying dividend, 1.48 per
cent. of the total stock outstanding paid
from 2 to 4 per cent.; 5.35 per cent.
of this stock paid from 4 to 5 per cent.,
4.82 per cent. paid from 5 to 6 per cent.,
1.21 per cent. paid from 6 to 7 per cent.,
and 4.37 per cent. paid from 7 to 8 per

cent. The total amount of dividends
was \$5,603,371, which would be pro-
duced by an average of 5.62 per cent.
on the amount of stock on which some
dividend was declared. The amount of
bonds paying no interest was \$515,029,
665, or 11.40 per cent.; of miscellaneous
obligations, \$58,918,880, or 15.66 per cent.,
and of income bonds, \$276,811,594, or
87.96 per cent.

EARNINGS AND EXPENSES.

The gross earnings of the railways of
the United States for the year end-
ing June 30, 1896, were \$1,150,169,374,
having increased in comparison with
the previous year, \$74,975,914. The
sources of the income comprised in
gross earnings from operation during
the year were passenger revenue, \$286,
562,533; increase, \$14,816,352; mail, \$22,
379,819; increase

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MINES AND MINING.

THE INSIDE FACTS ABOUT THE WEDGE MINE.

Mining Register of the State Mining Bureau—San Gabriel Mines—The Perris Section—Golden Cross. Cost of Treating Ores.

Encouraging news continues to be received from the mining sections of Southern California, all along the line, from Acton on the north to Yuma on the east. Scarcely a day passes without a good strike being recorded.

THE WEDGE MINE.

The Wedge mine of Randsburg continues to be the object of much speculation among local mining men. Until a couple of months ago this stock was selling on the local stock exchange at about a dollar a share, and had been paying a regular monthly dividend. Then there was a sudden drop, the price running down to 2 cents, since which time it has ranged from 2½ to 4 cents a share. The drop was coincident with the loss of control of the mine by Dr. Pepper, who got into financial difficulties in consequence of the notorious Kapus affair, and was crowded by his bank, whereupon he had to give up the stock.

All sorts of rumors have been afloat in regard to this mine, many of them sensational and absurd. One of these was that the Farmers' and Merchants' Bank had control of about one-quarter of a million shares of stock, and had been hammering prices down in order to get the remainder of the stock in. As stated in this department a month ago, this report was inaccurate. The Farmers' and Merchants' is about the last bank in the State that would go into a speculative mining deal on a small scale—or any other scale. As was then stated in The Times, Henry J. Fleishman, the cashier of the Farmers' and Merchants' Bank, was a small block of Wedge stock on behalf of a customer. Since then the management of the mine has been reorganized, Nathaniel Wilshire, who is the largest owner of stock in the mine, having been elected president, Judge Beck, vice-president, and Mr. Fleishman, secretary. The new officials have an option on a sufficient number of shares to give them the control of the mine. This option they may take up or they may not, according to how the mine develops.

The officials state that it is the intention of the company, as reorganized, to work the mine on a businesslike scale. As the stock is unassessable, it will be impossible to make assessments for improvements, but bonds will be issued to a limited amount, say \$5000 to \$10,000 with which a gasoline hoist will be constructed, and other necessary development work pushed. A new superintendent has been engaged. He is Percy McMahon of Colorado, a man who has had much experience in mines, and is a graduate of the Columbia School of Mines. A meeting of the stockholders has been called for tomorrow.

It appears that the late superintendent of the Wedge had little knowledge of the mining business, and was not very judicious in his system of development. A change of ore in the mine was followed, and the mine was gutted to pay regular dividends, without any provision for the future. Under these circumstances the stock of the mine became unduly inflated, and when the end of the ore chute was reached, about the time that the Pepper collapse took place, there was, of course, a heavy reaction.

As stated, it is the intention of the new management to push work on the mine in a businesslike manner. The deposit on the Wedge is said to be a true fissure vein, and there is every encouragement to believe that further valuable deposits of ore will be encountered. The shaft is at present 415 feet deep. The shaft would be of much service as a combination shaft, for the operation of the good mines on each side of the Wedge.

Under the new management the affairs of the mine will be conducted in an open and businesslike manner. The books of the company being open at all times to the inspection of the stockholders. The State law providing for a tax of 10 cents on certificates of stock will be enforced, in order to discourage the "kiting" of stock in small blocks, for speculative purposes.

These are the facts of the case in relation to the Wedge mine, as gathered from inside and authoritative sources.

SAN GABRIEL MINES.

Although only about twenty miles from Los Angeles, the mining section of the San Gabriel Cañon is comparatively a terra incognita to mining men. This section has produced quite a considerable amount of mineral wealth in the past. Two miners who are working ledges in the cañon about fifteen miles above Azusa, state that the ore bodies are growing stronger as the work progresses, and excellent assays have been obtained. There is also ledge of copper, which carries a good sprinkling of gold. The San Gabriel is likely to be heard of yet as a mining section.

THE PERRIS SECTION.

One of the most important mining sections of Southern California is that around Perris, in Riverside county, where mining has been going on for a number of years, on a scale of considerable magnitude. At the Good Hope mine, where a cyanide plant is worked on the tailings, as much as \$500 has been secured from one week's work.

The owners of the Virginia mine purchased a 5-stamp mill in Los Angeles, which is now being put into place, and from which good results are expected. In the Little Maggie an eight-horse power hoist has been put in, which also runs the 4-stamp mill. A new shaft will be sunk to a depth of 200 feet, to explore this mine, which was worked by the Mexicans a number of years ago, the ore being put through an arrastra.

A 10-stamp mill has been ordered from San Francisco by the Gavilan syndicate, which is said to have struck some very fine ore at a depth of 400 feet.

THE GOLDEN CROSS.

The receiver of the Golden Cross Mining and Mining Company of San Diego county, has filed his report as receiver, from which it is learned that this important enterprise now runs ninety-five stamps, and employs 177 men. The debt of the mine have been paid, and there is now over \$50,000. It represents the profits of three months' operations. The report states that large bodies of free-milling ore are in sight.

A MINING REGISTER.

Reference has been made in this department to a mining register and maps, which are to be issued by the State Mining Bureau. The bureau has issued the following circular, giving further information regarding this publication.

It is the intention of the State Mining Bureau to issue a register of the mines and miscellaneous economic minerals of California. It will classify the mines in their general nature, as quartz, hydraulic, drift, placer and beach, and give the location and particulars of a public nature of each mine.

The register of quartz mines will contain the name of the mine, nearest town, its location by section, township and range, the number by which it is designated on the accompanying map, and will state whether the mine is patented or not. It will give the strike, dip and thickness of the vein

or veins, the general nature of the ore, and character of the foot and hanging wall, the number of men employed, and the name and address of the owner and superintendent. It will show the amount of development which has been done by giving the depths of shafts, inclines, the length of tunnels, drifts, etc., and will also state the nature of power used. The register of hydraulic, drift, placer and beach mines will likewise give their location and general nature of operation and development.

The register will also contain a list of quartz mills, reduction works, etc., with their character, size, location and name and address of owner and superintendent.

The register of miscellaneous economic minerals will give their location, general character and development, with the names and addresses of the owners and superintendents.

Also, the register will be published a map of each county, which is being compiled from the most reliable and recent available data. They will show, as far as can be ascertained at present, the location of railways, roads and trails, and general topography.

The mines will be designated by a red dot and a number by which the mine may be found in the register. They are too numerous in many parts of the State to admit of their being printed on the map, and therefore the reference number is used instead.

Where miscellaneous economic minerals exist their names will be printed in full.

It is the purpose of the bureau to compile the vast quantity of information concerning the mining and mineral industry which it has accumulated into as simple and comprehensive a form as possible and make it available for the use of the general public by publishing a register of the mines and minerals, accompanied by county maps, on which they are indicated. The information will be put in the best shape to be of use alike to the miner, business man and those engaged in all industries.

The information now at hand, vast as it is, is in many respects incomplete. In order to complete the register up to date as near as possible a deputy will be appointed in each county whose ability and long familiarity with the mining industry of the county in which he resides will make his services most useful.

The mines of the State have become far too numerous to admit of anything like a satisfactory description of each mine in a single volume. The necessity of referring from one volume to another will be eliminated by the use of the register; and by the aid of the accompanying map the relative location of mines and mineral deposits may be seen at a glance, as well as routes of travel necessary to visit them. The location, trend and general character of mineral zones and groups of mines may be shown. The information tabulated in the register and indicated on the map may be easily revised from time to time as deemed necessary, and comparatively easily kept up to date.

One of the principal advantages claimed for the policy of issuing a register and maps is the advantage it affords as a basis for future scientific field work. That reliable maps are necessary as a basis for carrying on field work, especially in economic geology, is well known to all in any way familiar with the science.

As soon as conditions will permit, bulletins will be issued on the following subjects: Chlorination, dry washing, beach washing, dredging, building stones, petroleum and limestones and cement.

MINERAL IN MARIN COUNTY.

Marin is the latest county to come forward as the scene of mining development. Marin is essentially a dairy county, and few people have had any idea that it contains mineral wealth. It is now said that vast deposits of copper extend up the coast north of San Francisco, which are being developed at a point about twenty miles from San Rafael, where there is said to be 200,000 tons of ore in sight, which carries from 2 to 20 per cent. of copper, and small quantities of silver.

A BIG TUNNEL. A New York paper gives the following particulars regarding a company which has undertaken the big job of constructing a tunnel under Pike's Peak:

"It is an American corporation capitalized at \$50,000,000, in 500,000 shares of \$100 each—251,000 shares representing the promoters' interest, having as a guarantee of good faith, been deposited in perpetuity with the Anglo-Indian banking corporation (limited.) In such a way that they can neither be sold nor mortgaged, thereby strictly limiting the benefit of the promoters to the dividends on such shares when the enterprise is a financial success. The remaining 249,000 shares, representing the working capital, it is stated have been already issued to capitalists in New York, London and on the continent."

THE WORLD'S GOLD PRODUCTION. The gold production of the United States last year was about \$23,000,000. The small gains of some places and the big gains made by Colorado and Alaska will increase this total to \$26,000,000 for 1897, and this in turn will help to swell the total gold production of the world, which in 1896 was placed at \$218,000,000. The gain of the United States promises to be from \$7,000,000 to \$8,000,000; that of Africa from \$8,000,000 to \$9,000,000; of Canada, \$6,000,000 to \$7,000,000, and Australia nothing. This will bring the gold production of the world up to about \$248,000,000.

COST OF TREATING ORES.

A contest has been going on for some time in Colorado between the mill men and the miners regarding the treatment of low-grade ores. The miners claim that they are not treated at a sufficiently low figure. It is claimed that there are immense bodies of low-grade ore in the mines of Cripple Creek which are not utilized at present, because they cannot be treated at a profit. These ores will run in value all the way from \$5 to \$10 a ton. Ores of this grade are profitably treated in other mining sections, and they will doubtless be utilized in Colorado before long. Perhaps the new concentrator that has been introduced in Randsburg may help solve the question.

A SHOWER OF GOLD.

The latest reports from the Klondike region of the discovery of great quantities of nuggets on the surface of the ground, under the moss, seems to confirm the theory of that Pasadena man who maintains that in the early stages of the formation of the earth the gold descended from the surrounding gases, and accumulated at the poles. It must have been a pretty big shower.

MINING EXCHANGE.

At the regular bi-monthly meeting of the Los Angeles Mining Exchange yesterday the president was authorized to appoint a committee from the various counties and mining districts of Southern California to obtain mineral cabinets with specimens of ores to be exhibited in the rooms of the exchange. The president has appointed George Parsons as chairman of the committee.

A committee will also be appointed to confer with the Chamber of Commerce as to the best means of establishing an exhibit at Omaha; another committee to devise ways and means to work in harmony with the Chamber of Commerce in disseminating mining literature, and yet another to agitate the question of establishing a smelter in this vicinity. The president will give time and appoint experienced and competent men on these committees.

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Remnants Best Quality Calicoes, Yard.....	2 ^c	Remnants Dress Plaids, 36 inches wide, Yard.....	5 ^c	Remnants Ladies' Kid Button Shoes, Odd sizes.....	69 ^c	Remnants Ladies' Oxfords, Odd sizes.....	48 ^c
Remnants Colored Lawns, Yard.....	2 ^c	Remnants Silk Veiling, All colors, Yard.....	9 ^c	Remnants Ladies' New Style Capes, Worth \$3.50.....	\$1.38	Remnants Ladies' New Style Percale Wrappers, Worth \$1.25.....	48 ^c

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100 pairs White Canvas Oxfords for only.....	50c
110 pairs Ladies' \$4.50 Goodyear Welt Shoes at.....	\$2.95
75 pairs Ladies' Fine French Kid Shoes at.....	\$2.95
300 pairs Misses' Fine Shoes, sizes 12 to 2, for.....	98c
200 pairs Men's Satin Calf Dress Shoes for.....	\$1.23
168 pairs Men's Satin Calf Dress Shoes for.....	\$1.45
84 pairs Men's Red Calf, Packard-make Shoes at.....	\$1.95
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Misses' Tan Button or Lace, 11½ to 2, \$1.50 grade, for.....	\$1.05
Misses' Tan Button or Lace, 11½ to 2, \$2 grade, for.....	\$1.25
Ladies' Tan Button or Lace, \$2.50 grade, for.....	\$1.65
Ladies' Tan Button or Lace, \$3 grade, for.....	\$1.85
Ladies' Tan or Red Button or Lace, \$4 grade, for.....	\$2.45
Ladies' Tan Oxfords or Southern Ties, \$2 grade, for.....	\$1.45
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Change in Policy in Soldiers' Home Management—Sale of Beer at the Canteen Keeps Members from Going Astray for Something Stronger.

The new administration at the Soldiers' Home recently changed the hours during which beer may be sold at the dispensary on the grounds, so that the place is not closed till late in the evening. Steps have also been taken to discourage home members from disgracing their uniform by appearing in it reeling in drunken abandon, in Santa Monica and elsewhere. These changes have stimulated interest in the question whether the administration has other and more far-reaching changes along the same line in view. Col. Andrew J. Smith, governor of the home, was seen yesterday regarding the matter. When interrogated he said: "This institution is not a reformatory. The men who live here have reached an age in life where their habits are fixed. They cannot be molded as younger men could. Therefore they cannot fittingly be dealt with in the same manner as it would be best to deal with men of less mature years. It is for this reason that it is not deemed best to issue general orders for their conduct, such as might properly be issued in the regular army. This place is not a prison—it is a home."

"Such being the conditions, the members of the home must be dealt with, to a large extent, individually rather than collectively. I feel it my duty as the officer in charge to take an individual interest in their several cases. I scarcely need mention the fact that a man, after taking a drink or two of liquor, will frequently be found in an inclination to do something worse. I regret the need of a beer dispensary on the home grounds, but I believe it keeps a great many of the men from stronger temptation. The beer which we sell in the canteen, you know, must have not exceeding 3 per cent. of alcohol. The ordinary percentage is 12. The profits of this canteen, as we call the place where beer is sold, go for the amusement and other benefits of the men in the institution, as would not be the case if they spent their money elsewhere for drink. Having the canteen open later in the evening—we close it now at 3:30 p.m.—has the effect of keeping the men on the home grounds, whereas if the canteen were closed at an early hour some of them might be unable to resist the temptation to go to Santa Monica or elsewhere, and get thoroughly intoxicated with the stronger liquors to be procured at those places."

"What is your personal opinion in relation to the sale of beer to members of the home?"

"The board of managers of National Soldiers' Homes, after repeated experiments in several homes, ascertained from the reports of the governors, by whom such tests were made, that drunkenness increased in all these institutions on an average of over 60 per cent. where beer was not used; that members addicted to the use of alcohol in any form were entrapped into the vilest deadfalls, where they committed all sorts of excesses; that they were guilty of violations of the ordinances of the cities adjacent to the home; that they were drugged, thugged and robbed; and that they were physically, morally and financially, as well as financially, And so the board of managers reluctantly authorized the sale of a light beer only in the different homes, subject to such restrictions as the management might enforce."

"Personally, I am opposed to the sale of beer, but, having the good of my comrades nearest to me, I permit its sale, believing—and I had better say, knowing—that it is for the good of all the members who use alcohol in any form."

"Have you issued any orders to the men not to go to Santa Monica in uniform?"

"No, I have not. What I have done, however, has been to tell the more serious offenders that if they are going to places away from the home to make public spectacles of themselves by getting beastly drunk, they are not to do so in the home uniform. That uniform must not be disgraced by any such conduct. If they will persist in going from the home for such a purpose, let them go in citizens' clothes, and not in the uniform provided by a grateful country for the self-respecting, honorably discharged veterans. A very large proportion of the men here is composed of those who never touch liquor. A few of them carousing about Santa Monica creates the impression that the members of the home are a set of toppers, which is very far from the truth."

"When asked if he had in view any further steps looking to the prevention of the drugging and robbing of home members at some of the outside resorts, the governor expressed a wish not to be interviewed on that point at present, but said: 'Whatever I feel is best for these veteran wards of the nation I shall do in their interest.'"

"I am gratified," said he, "to find on the statute books a law prohibiting the selling of liquor within a mile and one-half from the exterior limits of asylums, homes, etc. This is a great protection to the weak-minded among the veterans, saving from over-indulgence those who have not the power to resist, and who deserve our sympathy and not condemnation."

"I am equally gratified to learn that the officers of the county are determined upon the enforcement of this law."

Councilman's Wife Finds a Baby.

Shortly after 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon a stylishly-dressed woman appeared at the Police Station with a two-year-old little girl toddling by her side. The woman was Mrs. M. Grider, wife of Councilman Grider. She explained that her attention had been attracted by the baby, who was wandering aimlessly about at the corner of Second and Main streets. About an hour later she again discovered the child, this time at First and Broadway. Mrs. Grider became convinced that the baby was a lost child, and took the tot in tow. At the Police Station the baby was found to belong to J. D. Leach, who had reported the loss early in the day. The little one was returned to her father last night.

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mainly signifies that the government has retained the bank the amount borrowed on the efficiency bills previous to the disbursement of dividends on the fifth of this month. The reserve is up £412,000. Details of gold for the week are £100,000 from the Cape, £52,000 in eagles and £30,000 in sovereigns for the continent. Today the market has borrowed a further small amount from the bank, but

ulet, November, 3s 1d; December, 3s 1½d.


Copper and Lead.

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—Copper and lead, unchanged.

Petroleum.

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—Petroleum, Pennsylvania crude, nominally 35.

OIL CITY (Pa.) Oct. 28.—Credit balances,



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Society.

Mrs. R. W. Fildham of South Flower street gave an informal tea yesterday afternoon to meet Mrs. Neumann of Berlin, Germany, and Mrs. M. N. Griswold of Chicago. The rooms were prettily decorated with chrysanthemums, papyrus and similar. Those present, besides the guests of honor, were:

Mesdames—
A. N. Davidson,
Fred Fay,
K. T. Galpin,
J. A. Osgood,
W. E. Dunn,
R. L. Craig,
G. M. North,
Wyman,
Misses—
C. Ellis,
Doren,
W. C. Patterson,
Whitman,
Seward,
Maynard,
Dankin,
E. Fildham,
L. S. Thompson,
J. E. Clark,
Minnie Ward,
Hobbs.

The Current Events Section reported at the regular monthly business meeting of the Ebell yesterday afternoon. Mrs. R. W. Burnham was in charge of the programme, which included a vocal solo by Miss Sheppard, a discussion of the Hawaiian question, introduced by ten-minute papers, Mrs. J. J. Byrne arguing against annexation and Mrs. Burnham in favor of it; an informal discussion of the book of the hour, "Quo Vadis," and a violin solo by Miss Maxon.

At the opening of the meeting the president, Mrs. P. C. Baker, made a few suggestive remarks concerning the need of various articles of furniture in the new quarters, gently bearing in upon the members the desirability of their contributing such trifles as tea cups and saucers, cushions, etc., to add to the comfort and beauty of the rooms.

Miss Frankfield was the guest of honor yesterday at a pretty luncheon given by Miss Walrath, at her home on South Pearl street. The other guests were Misses. Fred A. Hines, W. A. Barker, William H. Weston, the Misses Forrester, Marie Clarke of New York City, and Miss Walrath. The decorations, which were all in pink and green, were exceedingly effective. Bands of pink satin ribbon terminating in bows were laid diagonally across the table, and bits of the same ribbon inscribed in gilt, took the place of the name cards. The center was occupied by a tall, branching candelabrum holding pink candles and lace-trimmed shades. On either side, resting on round mirrors, were cut-glass bowls filled with La France roses. The souvenirs were heart-shaped, white satin bonbonnières, filled with French rose leaves, and exquisitely decorated with cupids, garlands of roses and floating clouds. The buffet and mantel were massed with pink roses and smilax, and hanging fern balls here and there added to the pretty effect. White chrysanthemums, red roses and hanging ferns decorated the drawing-room and hall.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.
Miss Julia E. Weaver will leave today for San Francisco for a stay of several weeks.

The Twilight Concert will be given tomorrow afternoon from 4:30 to 5:30 at Immanuel Church, under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Auxiliary. A dispatch was received in this city yesterday from the Rev. Hugh K. Walker of Baltimore, announcing that he would arrive about December 1, to take charge of his new pastoral duties at Immanuel Church.

Frederick W. Blanchard left yesterday for a few days in San Francisco. He, and Mrs. W. P. MacLaughlin and two daughters of Iowa are guests of Charles Wade of South Flower street.

Miss Onie Howell of Oakland will arrive today to be the guest of Miss Frankfield for ten days.

UNMAILABLE MATTER.

Inspector Flint Defines the Law on the Subject.

So many inquiries are being made of the postal inspector concerning the exact laws which affect non-mailable matter of any kind, that Mr. Flint gave yesterday a full explanation of this important branch of the postal laws, as follows:

"There seems to be a misunderstanding by many citizens concerning the postal laws, in so far as the mailing of threatening, libelous or scurrilous letters is concerned.

"There is not at present any United States law which prevents or prohibits the mailing of such letters.

"The following are the laws relating to the mailing of improper matter: 'Section 3833 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, as amended September 28, 1888, prescribes the following penalty for depositing or causing to be deposited in any postoffice, an obscene, lewd or lascivious book, pamphlet, picture, paper, letter, writing, printing or other publication of an indecent character, to-wit: a fine of not more than \$5000, or imprisonment at hard labor for not exceeding five years.'

"The United States Supreme Court has held that a written letter in the form of correspondence is within this act; also that the test of obscenity is anything that will awake impure thoughts in the minds of the young.

"It will be noticed that this act does not in any way provide for the punishment of a person who deposits a threatening, libelous or scurrilous letter in a postoffice.

"The act of June 18, 1888, as amended September 28, 1888, provides, however, for the punishment of any person who deposits or causes to be deposited in any postoffice, any matter otherwise mailable by law, upon the envelope or outside cover or wrapper of which, or any postal card upon which any delineations, epithets, terms or language of an indecent, lascivious, obscene, libelous, scurrilous, defamatory or threatening character, or calculated by the terms or manner or style of display and obviously intended to reflect injuriously upon the character or conduct of another, may be written or printed, or otherwise apparent are hereby declared non-mailable matter. Punishment: Fine not more than \$5000, or imprisonment for not more than five years.

"It will be noticed that this act provides for the punishment of threatening, libelous or scurrilous language; but same to be within the act must be written or printed on a postal card, or on the envelopes or outside cover or wrapper, and not inclosed in an envelope whether sealed or unsealed."

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The case against R. Orsi, proprietor of the City Dairy, for selling milk below the standard, was dismissed by Justice Morrison yesterday because of failure of the prosecution to prove the charge. Owing to the good quality of the milk which Mr. Orsi has always delivered, he is now supplying over five hundred of the best families, hotels and restaurants, in the city, and will continue to furnish his old and new patrons with the best grade of milk in the market.

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